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JESUS IS GOD REVEALED TO US

Introduction: The Negro spiritual expresses the confusion of the ages concerning who Jesus is.

Sweet little Holy Child
We didn't know who you was

John 1:14, 18 Col 2:9

I. JESUS IS THE _____ OF GOD

Veiled in flesh the Godhead see
Hail the Incarnate Deity

1. We have an _____ of God in our _____
2. We have an _____ of God in _____
3. We have a _____ from God in the _____
4. We have a _____ from God in _____

Hebrews 1:1-3 - "...the Son is the radiance of God's glory and the exact representation of his being, sustaining all things by his powerful word."

II. JESUS IS THE SOLUTION TO THE MYSTERY OF GOD

Col 1:26 - "*The mystery that has been kept hidden for ages and generations, but is now disclosed to the saints.*"

1. What is God _____?
 2. How do you _____ and _____ God?
 3. Idols - _____ of God
 4. Jesus is the mystery _____
- Jn 12:45 - "When he looks at me, he sees the one who sent me."

III. JESUS IS THE _____ OF GOD

1. The _____
2. _____ of _____
3. _____
4. _____

IV. JESUS IS THE _____ OF GOD REVEALED

1. Moses - let me see your glory
 2. Isaiah - vision of the Lord - high and lifted up
 3. Jesus - the _____ of the _____ of God
- Jn 1:14 - "We have seen his glory"
Col 1:19 - "For God was pleased to have all his fullness dwell in him..."

Conclusion: Christmas is about finding the God we _____ but we cannot describe.